

Church Announcements and News

ASCENSION PARISH TO BE CANVASSED

Plans have been perfected by the Church of the Ascension for the campaign which will be conducted tomorrow afternoon throughout the parish to obtain funds for the church to interest members of the parish in a more regular attendance at services, and to obtain pledges for some kind of church work. Some 80 to 100 members of the parish, grouped into teams, will call on every Episcopal in the parish between 3 and 6 o'clock, at which time the request is made that Episcopalians render at their homes to receive the visit.

The slogan of the campaign is: "Every person provided with a church home; every member a worker and contributor; every child in the church school."

SPECIAL SERVICE AT CATHEDRAL FOR BIRTHDAY

A special service of prayer and thanksgiving to mark the birthday of King Alexander will be held at 5 p. m. today, at the Bethlehem Chapel, Washington Cathedral, Mt. Saint Alban, under appointment of the Bishop of Washington and the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral. The service is by request of His Excellency Slavak Grouitch, minister at Washington of the Slavs, Croats and Slovenes.

The full Cathedral choir under Edgar Priest, organist and choirmaster, will render the music which has been selected to fit the occasion. It will include an anthem, Magnificat, and the Serbian National Anthem; Psalm 21, "The king shall rejoice in thy strength O Lord" and hymns, "The Son of God goes forth to war," "O God our help in ages past," "Go forward Christian soldier." The Scripture lesson will be from the third chapter of the Book of Kings, describing the accession of Solomon to the throne of Israel and electing the gift of wisdom and counsel rather than riches and long life.

The service will be conducted by the Cathedral clergy, M. Grouitch, the Bishop of Washington specially invite all persons interested, as well as the immediate friends of the Legation to attend the service. The Serbian flag will be carried in the procession of the choir and clergy, as well as the great Cathedral banner, and the altar will be decorated with red and white carnations and candles.

SALES PASSING \$500,000 MADE BY ONE CONCERN

Real Estate Investment Company Disposes of Old Stewart Castle Property.

Sales of residential and business properties, aggregating in excess of \$500,000 in value, are reported by the Real Estate Investment Company for the last week.

Among the properties sold was the large plot of ground on the west side of Dupont circle, at Connecticut and Massachusetts avenues. This property was the site of the old Stewart castle. Some years ago the property was acquired by ex-Senator Clark of Montana, who transferred it in this transaction to C. W. Semmes, president of the Semmes Motor Company, of this city. The consideration was considerably in excess of \$200,000. It is understood Mr. Semmes contemplates improving the property.

Several handsome properties in Chevy Chase figure in recent transactions. One of these is a very handsome home at the corner of Connecticut avenue and Newland street. This property contains about one-half an acre of ground and is beautifully situated and shaded by handsome forest trees. The residence is of stucco, and there is a garage for two cars. This property was purchased by R. E. Burks from H. H. Weaver.

The property at 1718 Rhode Island avenue has been sold for Mrs. Edith C. Mathews, of New York. This is a modern home in one of the best residential sections of this city. The house contains ten rooms and two baths.

The property at 1721 H street northwest was sold to Mrs. Paul Bartlett, of New York, for business purposes. This property has a valuable frontage of fifty feet on H street, and marks the passing of another of the older residences of Washington to business.

The property at 1306 Rhode Island avenue has been purchased by the Columbian Preparatory School, of which George B. Schadman is principal. This is a brick residence, containing fourteen rooms, formerly owned and occupied by Judge John Bernard.

The residence at 1736 I street northwest was purchased by L. W. Groomes for a consideration in excess of \$20,000. The house contains ten rooms and is one of the newer residences of this city. The purchaser intends to remodel the house.

The residence at 1902 Calvert street northwest was sold for Waddy B. Wood to Ralph Potter.

A lot at the corner of Eighteenth and I streets northwest, containing over 7,000 feet of ground, was transferred from Thomas Fortune Ryan, of New York, to a local investor. It is understood the new purchaser intends to erect an apartment house.

An attractive residence at 2908 Ordway street, Cleveland Park, was sold to a local purchaser.

CHURCH NOTES

Miss Ada Rainey, teacher of divine science, will talk at the Church of Life and Joy, 1814 N street northwest, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on "The Keys of Heaven." An hour with the children in lessons in truth at 10 in the morning, and the usual healing service at 11.

On Tuesday evening, December 20, the monthly meeting of the Columbia Federation of Baptist Young People's Unions will be held at the First Baptist Church.

The principal speaker of the evening will be Rev. E. S. Abernathy, pastor, Calvary Baptist Church.

"Unfulfilled Promises" will be the subject of the Sunday morning sermon by Rev. George A. Miller at the Ninth Street Christian Church.

At the evening service he will preach on "Mountain Heights."

"The Men Who Follow the Star" will be the subject of Rev. H. P. For at Hamline Methodist Church, 10th and E streets northwest.

"Old Nick and Saint Nick" will be the topic of the evening sermon. The motion picture, "From the Manger to the Cross," will be shown at Hamline Church Friday evening, December 22.

The Hon. John C. Ketchum, of Michigan, will teach the Adult Bible Class of Foundry M. E. Sunday school tomorrow at 9:45. The lesson topic will be "Paul's Final Triumph."

Rev. Charles S. Morris, D. D., president of the Boynton Biblical and Industrial Institute of Boynton, Virginia, has completed a tour of this country and Canada in which he has been presenting to large audiences the biblical doctrine of the second coming of our Lord. He will preach on the Second Advent at Shiloh Baptist Church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow. Doctor Morris is regarded by many as the leading exponent of this scriptural doctrine and presents it in a most interesting and instructive manner.

Under the direction of George F. Bayless, choirmaster, an old English service will be rendered at the Church of the Ascension on Christmas eve from 9 to 10 o'clock. Christmas carols will be sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. M. Burns, soprano; Mrs. Julia C. Gray, contralto; Mr. Bayless, tenor; Lawrence E. Murray, basso; assisted by a chorus of twenty-eight voices and accompanied by string music. The organ of the church will not be used in this service.

In keeping with the ancient custom, the church will be lighted exclusively by candles, placed in the windows in the chancel and on the altar. Mr. Bayless will sing the Offertory. There also will be special music by the choir at the 11 o'clock service on Christmas morning.

A Christmas entertainment for the children of Advent Episcopal Church will be held this year on Friday evening preceding Christmas. Rev. Thom Williamson, Jr., the rector, has invited not only the family and friends of the children, but has extended a general invitation to all children of the parish to attend the entertainment.

The Takoma Park Baptist Church is to hold its future Sunday services, pending the erection of its church building, in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, corner Carroll and Willow avenues, Takoma park.

Rev. William E. La Rue, the pastor, who has recently taken up his work with this church, will take for his morning theme, at 11:00 o'clock, "Christ Coming as a Deliverer." In the evening at 8 o'clock he will speak on "An Old War in New World." The evening service will be preceded by an organ recital by Prof. W. O. John.

"Spiritual Equilibrium" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, minister of All Souls Church, at the morning service in the Knickerbocker Theater. Charles Trowbridge Tittmann, pastor, will be assisted by Miss Katherine Riggs, harp, with Lewis Corning Atwater at the organ.

"Chinese Alchemy" will be the subject of an address by Prof. Edward T. Williams before the Liberal Religious Union Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be held in Unitarian House, 1789 Columbia road.

"The Palace of Childhood" will be the subject of Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley's sermon tomorrow morning at the Vermont Avenue Christian Church. At the evening service he will speak on "Survivals."

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school and church will be held next Friday evening with a service entitled, "White Gifts for the King." The children of the school will take part in a pageant under the direction of Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Biddle and Miss Payne.

On Saturday evening the Crusaders' Class of the Sunday school will keep open house and will entertain the Everyman Class. A musical pageant entitled "When the Star Shone" will be given.

CATHOLIC SOCIETY DRIVES FOR MEMBERS

The great drive in forty-two of the Catholic parishes of Washington and vicinity for 5,000 new members in the Holy Name Society got started last Sunday with a spirit of enthusiasm and vim that augurs well for success. Eloquent pleas for the society were heard in nearly all of the churches and the branch offices were busy in the distribution of cards for membership and in the arrangements for rallies, entertainments, and religious services during the coming week.

A solemn altar service at St. Peter's Church, Second and C streets southeast, was attended by several hundred men of the parish and other parishes as well, at which an eloquent sermon was preached on the society and the drive by Rev. Father Saylor, O. P. St. Dominic's. Mr. O'Brien, of St. Peter's, officiated at the vesper service.

PAGEANT TO BE PRESENTED AT LUTHER PLACE CHURCH

"The Word and the Way," a Bible pageant for Christmas, arranged for production by Beas Davis Schreiner, will be presented on Wednesday and Thursday evenings December 21 and 22 at Luther Place Memorial Church, under the direction of Miss Schreiner and Mrs. Marie Forrest.

It is the story of the Old Testament promises and prophecies regarding the birth of Christ and will be given with a beautiful musical setting to be rendered by Mr. Paul Whitney Flanagan, organist; Miss Helen Gerrer, violinist; Miss Katherine Riggs, harpist; Miss Annie Alstadt, organist; Miss Marion Greene, soprano; Miss Marie Koontz, contralto; Mr. Martin Richardson, tenor; Mr. Ervino J. Stenson, baritone, and Mr. Robert H. Davidson, bass.

There will be one hundred people in the fourteen episodes selected for the pageant, in which members of the Luther Place Memorial Church will be assisted by the Rev. Earle Wilfley, Mrs. Maud Howell Smith, Mr. Arthur White, Mr. Maurice Jarvis, Mr. Dennis E. Connell, and the Rev. George F. Bayless.

Costumes and lighting will be in keeping with the impressive story. The public is cordially invited to attend on both evenings at half past eight o'clock.

The Rights of a Pedestrian.

According to the supreme court of the United States, the pedestrian on the highway has greater rights than the motorist. The man afoot has the right to travel in the middle of the road if he chooses, and it is the duty of the operator of an automobile to keep out of his way.

EPISCOPAL

Epiphany

Q St., Near 14th

JAMES E. FREEMAN, D. D., RECTOR

WILL PREACH AT 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M.

HOLY COMMUNION AT 8 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS 9:30 A. M. AND 3 P. M.

4 P. M., SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MANGER SERVICE, WITH ADDRESS BY DR. FREEMAN.

YOUNG PEOPLES' MEETING, 6 P. M.

ORGAN RECITAL, 7:30 P. M.

SERVICE OF PRAYER AND SPIRITUAL HEALING, TUESDAY, 8 P. M.

THE NATIVITY

14th and A. S. E. Church school, 9:15; Senior Dept., 10:15. The Nativity, 10:15. The Holy Catholic Episcopal Church.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Christian Science

Churches of Christ, Scientist. Branches of The Mother Church. The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Columbia road and Euclid st.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, N. E. Mass. Temple, 11th and F N. E.

Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Mass. Temple, 11th and New York ave.

Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, The Arcade, 14th and Park rd.

Subject: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Forces?"

SERVICES: Sunday, 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. SUNDAY SCHOOL—11 a. m. WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETING, 8 o'clock.

READING ROOMS: Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts. Hours, 10 to 5 (Wed. 10 to 7, and Sun. and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).

1219 F. N. W. room 608. Hours, 10 to 5, except Wednesdays, 11 to 4; Sundays, 2:30 to 5:30. Closed holidays.

148 East Capitol st. Hours, 11 to 5, (2nd floor), 10 to 5:30 week days; also 7 to 9 p. m. (except Wednesdays).

BAPTIST

E. H. Swem, pastor.

"A Man-Easy chairs (men like them); the people sing; large organ, 11 a. m. "Delighting God." Centennial Bldg., 7th & Eye n.e.

Petworth

7th & Randolph sts. N.W. Rev. F. Paul Langhorne. Cordial Welcome to Sermons. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school classes for all. Prayer Service, Thursday, 8 P. M. See the Plans of New Church on Thursday Evening.

MISCELLANEOUS

(Washington's Open Forum), 1101 E. St. N. W. Sunday, 3 p. m. Address: "THE CREATOR'S WILL FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF TRUTH," by Mr. Wm. C. Robinson. Discussion.

A SPECIAL ADDRESS: "The Christian Church and the War" Will Be Given by MRS. LUCIA AMES MEAD, of Massachusetts.

Sunday Evening at 8 o'clock at THE CHURCH OF THE NEW JERUSALEM, 16th St., Above Q. N. W.

UNITARIAN

All Souls Church

FOUNDED 1821. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, D.D., Minister.

Services in Knickerbocker Theater, 18th and Columbia Road.

During Construction New Church. Sixteenth and Harvard sts.

9:45—Sunday school. Graded course. Also kindergarten during morning service.

11—Morning worship. Sermon by the minister.

"SPIRITUAL EQUILIBRIUM"

Mr. Tittmann, Bass. Miss Riggs, Harp. Mr. Atwater, Organ.

Sunday, 11 a. m., in Unitarian House, 11th and Columbia. Liberal Religious Union. Prof. Edward T. Williams will speak on "Chinese Alchemy."

LUTHERAN

LUTHER PLACE MEMORIAL CHURCH

(Thomas Circle). G. M. DIFFENDERFER, Pastor.

MISS T. E. NELSON, Welfare Secretary.

9:45 a. m.—Bible School.

11:00 a. m.—Theme, "CHRIST OUR TEACHER."

7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

8:00 p. m.—Theme, BLIND LEADERS.

Sings Free. Voluntary Contributions.

This Church Welcomes YOU. Christmas Pageant Wed. and Thurs., Dec. 21, 22.

SPIRITUAL SCIENCE

Spiritual Science Church of Christ

1823 14th St. N. W. Divine services Sunday, 8 p. m. Pastor, MRS. JANE B. COATES.

Lecture this Sunday by MR. YOUNG, "What Is the Bahai Doctrine?"

Spirit Messages, Divine Healing, Thursday, Dec. 22, 8 p. m.

Mr. Mary Hight will lecture on "The Phenomena of Spirit Mediums and Psycho-Plastic Relations," illustrated by stereoscopic photographs taken before exhibiting in Washington. Public welcome. Silver offering.

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MRS. JANE B. COATES, Dean. 1784 Kibbourne st. N. W. Col. 5227. Appointments only. Developing Classes.

NEW THOUGHT

CHURCH OF LIFE AND JOY

1814 N. St. N. W. SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18: 10 a. m.—Lesson in Truth—Children. 11 a. m.—Healing service. 2 p. m.—Miss Ada Rainey, teacher of Divine Science, will speak on "THE KEYS OF HEAVEN."

UNITY

300 Homer bldg., 511 13th st. N. W. Reading room and auditorium. GARNETT JANUARY.

Instructors in Christian Metaphysics. Consultation afternoons and by appointment.

Sunday, 8 p. m.—"Applying the Truth in Business," by Mr. C. H. Watts, of the Men's Club of Philadelphia.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.—"Christmas Tree and Party."

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—"Unity of the Spirit." Healing and testimonial meeting.

SPIRITUALIST

MRS. ZAIDA BROWN KATES. Under control of Spirit Aaron will give prophecies for 1922.

AT THE COSMOS THEATRE, PENNSYLVANIA AVE. SUNDAY, JAN. 1, AT 11 A. M. No admission. Remember the date.

THE FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH

Lectured by Pastor, ALFRED H. TERRY, Subject, "ARE SPIRITS INTERESTED IN MORTAL AFFAIRS?"

"For I am the angel Raphael, one of the seven who stand before the Lord. And the angel said to him, 'Praise be with you, fear not. For when I was with you I was there by the will of God.'—Tobias, 12, 15, 17, 18."

Sunday, 8 p. m., at First Temple, 1012 9th st. N. W., second floor. All welcome.

CHRISTIAN

VERMONT AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Vermont ave., north of N st. REV. EARLE WILFLEY, LL.D., Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Bible School. Elton A. Gogwer, superintendent.

11 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by pastor, "THE PALACE OF CHILDHOOD."

8 p. m.—Evening service. Sermon by the pastor, "SURVIVALS."

6:15 p. m.—Young People's tea. 7 p. m.—Christian Endeavor meetings. Thursday, 8 p. m.—Midweek prayer service.

PARK VIEW CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Park Rd., East of Georgia Ave. WALTER F. SMITH, Minister.

Preaching—11 a. m. "The Symmetrical Life." 7:45 p. m. "Bible Conversations—Bible School, 9:15 a. m. Junior and Senior C. E. 8 and 9:45 p. m.

JUSTICE SAUNDERS OF VA. SUPREME COURT DEAD

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 17.—Judge E. W. Saunders, of the supreme court bench, died at his home in Franklin county last evening after a comparatively brief illness. Death was due to heart disease.

Judge Saunders was in his sixty-second year, a native of Virginia, and served as attorney for his county, as member of the general assembly, as speaker of the House, on the bench as a member of the circuit court, then in Congress several terms and was elevated to the supreme court of

appeals two years ago. He leaves a wife and several children. He was considered the peer of any lawyer in the State and was perhaps the ablest debator to be found.

DISARMAMENT UPHELD; BAN GIRLS AS SOLDIERS

MANSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 17.—Limitation of armament has been decided upon by the school board of this town to the extent that only the boys shall receive military training in the high school in the future. The board refused the petition of the girls' military organization to resume activities.

Many of the 100 girls were almost in tears today as a result of the decree. They argued that the company was "really more social than military, anyway," but the school board proclamation set forth that "the war is over."

"Let us be in harmony with the spirit of the times and disarm and disband our military forces so far as practicable."

When frying fish dip it in milk instead of batter or egg before covering it with breadcrumbs. This method is more economical than either, and makes the fish taste better.

JAPAN REPORTS TO LEAGUE ON MANDATED ISLANDS

GENEVA, Dec. 17.—Japan has sent to the secretariat of the League of Nations its first report on the administration of the former German colonies situated in the Pacific north of the equator.

The report, which is intended for the permanent commission on mandates, has been communicated to the league by Viscount Ishii under paragraph 7, article 22, of the pact. This is the first report of its kind to be received.

A Gigantic Purchase Of A New York Manufacturer's Entire Stock Of High-Grade OVERCOATS

P. S.—We placed them in our racks this morning.

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